IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8:

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

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PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed March 7, 2005, said period of response being extended from June 7, 2005, to August 7, 2005. Since August 7, 2005 falls on a Sunday, the request is effective for a carryover to Monday, August 8, 2005.

Our check in the amount of \$450.00 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

Respectfully submitted,

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